

Pickin' Pears

News and Notes
From Camp White

By SID HOLLINGSWORTH
Back in 1902, two marines fought side by side in the Philippines and became fast friends. More than half a century has passed since they served together across the Pacific.

Several weeks ago, William Hunter, who has been living at the domicile since his operation, received a letter from Edward G. Usher, of Lakewood, Ohio. The writer wanted to know if he was the Bill Hunter who served with him in the Philippines.

During the years, they had gone separate ways. Usher married and has a son who is a

colonel in the Marines. His wife died and he is alone with sufficient money to travel and see the world.

He was anxious to locate his Marine Corps pal of the insurrection days. He located the name from the files in Washington.

Now he wants Bill Hunter to meet him in Los Angeles, all expenses paid, for an appearance over TV, with Usher, in the "It Could Be You" program.

"I asked the doctor and he says I can go," Bill reports. "You know, we were just kids together over there in the Philippines. Ed is a retired lawyer now with a fine home in Lakewood, just outside of Cleveland."

Walter Holman has been taking an interest in some of the rocks brought to him by the rockhounds to place along the right of way of the miniature railroad which he is building.

He joined with the 25 men who went to Grants Pass last Saturday for the Rogue Gem and Geology show there. Thunderses the size of platters, and gems from Australia, Mexico and the western states fascinated him in the intricacy of their patterns.

Arthur Bryan, who has been named manager of the ball park, comes to Camp White with a background of professional baseball experience. He was trainer with the Pittsburgh Pirates in the National league, and was also with Hollywood in the Pacific Coast league.

Bryan is the new commander of the Veterans of World War I, and both responsibilities keep him on the move. He has also been an umpire and has positive convictions in the work he is doing for the men.

Camp White paid final tribute to "Little Joe" Oslal Wednesday. No one can remember the time when he was not the linen sergeant in Section One. In an exacting job he always wore a smile and was never known to become "ruffled."

Editor Riberdy of Domineux reviews an enlightening article by Mrs. Maurine S. Genazi on the development of appreciation activities as the answer to automation, in the current issue of the camp paper.

He calls attention to the concern of recreation leaders today with the effects of machine living on the increase of leisure time.

Encouragement of people with "time on their hands" to cultivate latent abilities and interests to prevent degeneration due to leisure is emphasized.

Assistant Manager Harold Jeffrey is in the east on a month's leave visiting friends and relatives.

Chaplain Lawrence Eskay will be away for a month with the Rev. Michael J. Reilly officiating during the interim.

Burnette Maschal and F. B. Alcorn, controller representatives from the area office in San Francisco, have been at Camp White on fiscal matters.

Dr. Ernest G. Everett returns Monday from military leave with the Oregon National Guard at Camp Clatsop, near Astoria.

The American Legion auxiliary is offering prizes to winners in a series of summer golf tournaments on the putting courses. The first contest on the miniature course Tuesday was won by Ryan with 30. Hanson won the playoff with Wardell, who tied on their first round with 31.

Bill Hickey, a consistent winner at the Bridge club Friday evening meetings, was high scorer during May. Tom Randall was second, and Killen Miller third.

Al Birman has opened offices in the north wing adjoining the theater where all business relating to sports will be cleared. He is special services representative in charge of athletics and is now working out stadium baseball schedules as well as fishing club, golf and other events which are separate from recreational activities handled by Bud Ash.

Dress up frozen chopped broccoli with sour cream and slivered toasted almonds. Cook the broccoli until barely tender, drain and stir in a little sour cream. Sprinkle with almonds.

Social Security
Office to Remain
Open This Saturday

The Medford social security district office at 33 North Riverside ave. will be open all day Saturday, June 29, in addition to its normal week day schedule. W. V. Nusbaum, district manager, said today.

Nusbaum said the special Saturday schedule of office hours from 8:30 to 4:30 p.m. will enable the office to accept last-minute applications from severely disabled people who may be eligible for social security protection.

This will be the only Saturday that the social security office which serves Jackson and Josephine counties will be open for business.

Apply Before June 30
Nusbaum pointed out that people who have been disabled and unable to work for a long time must apply before June 30 for disability benefits or to have their earnings records "frozen." Otherwise, they may, in some cases, lose their rights to disability payments and also their own and their family's rights to old-age and survivors insurance payments, he said.

Any severely disabled person who has worked under social security for at least five years and has been disabled for six months or more should get in touch with the Medford district office right away as soon as possible. If the person is between 50 and 65, he may be eligible for monthly disability payments. If he is under 50, he may be eligible to protect his future right to disability payments as well as the rights of himself and his family to old-age and survivors payments.

Record Frozen
"To get social security disability insurance benefits at age 50 or over, or to have your social security record frozen," Nusbaum said, "you must have social security credit for at least five years of work in the 10 years before you became disabled. At least a year and a half of that credit must be for work during the three years just before your disability began."

"In addition, you must have a disability which, in the words of the law, makes you unable to engage in any substantial gainful activity. It must be the kind of physical or mental condition which will show up in a medical examination or tests, and it must have lasted for at least six months and be expected to continue for a long and indefinite time," he said.

**Chicago Teen-Ager
Receives 50 Years**

Chicago—A fourth youth faced a lengthy prison term today in an apparent crackdown on Chicago teen-age killers.

Joseph Schwartz, 18, was sentenced Wednesday to 50 years in prison for the senseless bludgeoning murder of a Negro boy.

Trial of Schwartz's 11 fellow gang members accused in the hammer slaying of Alvin Palmer, 17, began immediately.

Exactly a week ago, a Criminal Court jury sentenced three youths to terms ranging from 99 to 110 years for murdering a motel operator during a hold-up spree.

**Roy Cohn Indicted
On Literature Charge**

Elizabeth, N.J.—Roy M. Cohn, former counsel to the late Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy's Senate investigating committee, was indicted with 36 other persons and 11 firms Wednesday on charges of conspiracy to sell indecent literature.

A Union county grand jury, in mass indictments against national publishers and distributors of so-called "girlie" magazines, named Cohn as general counsel and director of the American News Co., one of the indicted firms, which distributes Tiger Magazine.

Thomas A. Edison lit the world's first electric light on a Sunday afternoon in October, 1879. He allowed it to burn until Tuesday and then deliberately burned it out by increasing the current passing through it.

Herbert Hoover Jr. Returns To Capital As Oil Consultant

Washington—Former Undersecretary of State Herbert Hoover Jr. has been called back to the State Department as a parttime consultant on oil and other problems, it was learned today.

Hoover, 53-year-old son of the former President, resigned Feb. 1 from the No. 2 job in the State Department to return to private life in California.

Administration sources said Hoover returned to the State Department "for several days last week" to begin work as a consultant. He conferred with Secretary of State John Foster Dulles and other officials on oil

quota problems, Middle Eastern oil and domestic oil problems relating to foreign issues.

Using George's Office
While in Washington Hoover is using the office of former Sen. Walter F. George who now is in Georgia recovering from a heart condition. George, special assistant to President Eisenhower, hopes to make a trip to North Atlantic Treaty countries if his

health permits before resigning his advisory post around the end of this year, officials said.

Although Hoover has consulted with the State Department thus far chiefly on oil problems, a spokesman said he could be brought in for advice and assignment by Dulles "on any problem as needed."

Buses, Station Wagon
Crash; 38 Persons Hurt

New York—Thirty-eight persons were injured Wednesday night in a collision of two buses and a station wagon at a Manhattan intersection.

Five of the injured were hospitalized, none in serious condition. Seventeen bus passengers were treated at the scene, mostly for cuts and bruises.

William Langley Asks
Indictment Dismissal

Portland—William M. Langley, former Multnomah county district attorney, filed a motion in Circuit Court Wednesday seeking dismissal of an indictment accusing him of incompetence and malfeasance in office. The motion said that since Langley no longer is in office the indictment is "moot."

Oregon VFW Asks
Army To Try Girard

Pendleton—A plea that the Army try soldier William S. Girard instead of turning him over to Japan was made here Wednesday at the annual encampment of Oregon Veterans of Foreign Wars.

The Girard case, involving the shooting of a Japanese woman on a firing range, has caused international repercussions.

John Gammik, Elko, Nev., district 17 VFW council representative, said Girard was a member of our armed forces and therefore the Army, not the courts of Japan, should try him.

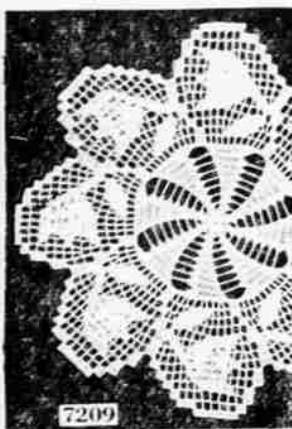
Two Persons Arrested
In Deaths of Cats

Portland—Two persons were arrested Wednesday on a cruelty to animals charge in connection with the recent death of two cats.

Arrested were Donald McPaul 30, and Edwin M. Martin, who will be 18 Friday. Police said a third person believed implicated was in Wyoming.

Humane society officials termed it the "cruelest animal torture" in years. The two cats were found taped to each other and strung over a clothesline last Friday.

Summer Handiwork



by Alice Brooks

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